Planning to hunt for cow elk in the Bitterroot this fall with a general elk license?

Antlerless elk harvest is open for hunters with a general Elk License from Nov. 10 through Nov. 30 in Bitterroot hunting districts 204, 261 & 270, however it will close upon a 24-hour notice when a quota is reached.

HDs 204, 261 & 270 north of Rye Creek: Will close upon 24-hour notice when the number of cow elk from HD 270 checked through the Darby check station reaches 100.

HD 270 south of Rye Creek: Will close upon 24-hour notice when the number of cow elk from HD 270 checked through the Darby check station reaches 200.

Hunters with antlerless permits for HDS 204, 261 & 270, youth 12-15, and hunters with a Permit to Hunt from a Vehicle (PTHV): Can continue to hunt for cow elk even if the quota is reached.

We will be posting the current harvest totals on this page every evening by 10 pm so that you can plan your hunt accordingly.

CURRENT COW HARVEST FOR HD 270

(Last updated 11/28/08 10:00pm)

Cow Elk harvested from HD 270: 76
(Antlerless harvest will remain open in 204, 261 & 270 through Nov. 30. There will not be a season extension).